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OUR CIRCULATION IN RICHMOND AND MADISON COUNTY IS EQUAL TO THE COMBINED CIRCULATION OF ALL OTHER COUNTY PAPERS

TWO DISTRICTS HAVE GONE OVER TO REVOLUTIONMilitary Governor Of Guantanamo
Tells United States Consul.**WANT MENOCAL TO RESIGN**Washington Hears That Government
Making Progress Against
Liberals.**MINISTER EXTENDS THANKS**

Santiago, Cuba, Feb. 15.—The military governor yesterday informed P. Merrill Griffith, American Consul here that the military forces of the Guantanamo District had joined the revolutionary movement. He also said that a similar situation prevailed in Mayari Baraco. The military governor stated that all operations are to be stopped immediately if President Menocal resigns in favor of the vice president.

Less Apprehensive.

Washington, Feb. 15.—The failure to receive from Cuba recent reports showing any marked growth in the liberal rebellion, caused administration leaders to regard the situation there with less apprehension. Minister Gonzales' reports confirm early unofficial dispatches, telling of the dispersal of various rebel bands. They also told, however, of the occupation of San Diego by General Fernandez, commanding the Moreno Regiment of regular troops, who had joined him in the revolt.

W. C. T. U. Commemorates Life of Frances Willard

Services commemorating the life and achievements of Frances E. Willard were held yesterday afternoon by the Women's Christian Temperance Union at the Second Presbyterian Church. Mrs. Thomas Davidson was in charge of the exercises.

Mrs. Alfred Andrews sang "Lead Kindly Light." Mrs. Stucky read a paper on "Frances Willard's Winning Way." Thomas B. Roberts told of the life of Frances Willard. Mrs. Frances Beauchamp spoke of Miss Willard's visits to Lexington.—Lex. Herald

COUNTY SCHOOL NOTICE.

(1). By order of the Madison County Board of Education the county district schools will re-open on Monday, March 5, 1917. Trustees will please notify patrons.

(2). According to the law of 1916, the county school trustees must meet at the court house on Saturday, March 3, 1917, to organize their respective division boards by electing chairman and secretary for each division. This is an important meeting and I request that all trustees be present.

Respectfully,
H. H. Brock, Supt.

WANTED IN THE COUNTRY.

A man and wife. The woman must be a good cook. The man is wanted to do general work around the house and garden. Call at this office or phone 68 and get further information. 7tf

THE REVIVAL CLOSES.

The revival which has been in progress here for the past two weeks, closed Sunday night with three additions to the church.

All the sermons of Dr. Robertson were characterized by their depth of feeling and cool, quiet delivery. His coming has been highly beneficial to the city and to the religious institutions especially. These have been drawn together in a more perfect understanding and sympathetic work.

The impress of Dr. Robertson will be felt for many years.

Dr. E. B. Barnes left Monday morning for Morehead where he will engage in a revival for two weeks. Dr. Barnes is recognized as a powerful pulpit speaker and his services are in demand.

K. OF P.'S CELEBRATE.

A large number of the members of Normal City Lodge, No. 162, Knights of Pythias, spent most delightful evening in their Castle Hall in the Odd Fellows building on East Main street Monday night. The occasion was the fifty-third anniversary of the birth of the Order. The Committee composed of Messrs. T. C. Vaughn, Walker Johnson and Joe Witt had made all previous arrangements for the entertainment of the Knights, and the meeting was called to order at 7:30 o'clock. The opening ode of the Order was sung by the assembled members, with piano accompaniment by Mr. Ed Warford, after which there was a great flow of oratory.

Speeches were made by Dr. E. C. McDougle, Mr. Frank Leslie Russell, J. Marion Sandlin, Mr. W. L. Howe, Judge G. E. Lilly, Mr. Collins and Mr. Robert Golden. At the conclusion of the speech-making, the committee served a most tempting lunch, which was greatly enjoyed by all present. After the feast an auction was held and what was left from the feast—some tempting viands—was disposed of and a neat sum realized, which will be used by the committee in helping defray the expense of the entertainment. Everybody present was in fine shape was spent by and with the Knights boys.

SOME WATERMELON PATCH.

We notice in a recent issue of the Eustis (Fla.) Lake Region that a man is planting five hundred acres of watermelons in that section. Some watermelon patch, eh? The "Sour Woods" section of Madison county will not have a grand total of five hundred acres of the joy fruit, but for a good, sweet, juicy and delicious watermelon we will put the "Sour Woods" district of old Madison against the world. Through its production of this captivating fruit, this section disseminates more joy than any other portion of the county, besides returning a handsome revenue to the producers.

IN MEMORIAM.

Miss America Myrtle Todd, eldest daughter of S. M. Todd, died at her home near Kingston, Thursday, February 16, at 2:45 o'clock, aged 22 years 4 months and 23 days. She made her confession of faith in Christ and united with the Hayes Fork Baptist church at the age of 13 and has lived a noble christian life. She was a teacher in the Sunday School and organist at this place at the time of her death. When the angel of death visited this earthly vineyard and was about to enter this home and pluck from our hearthstone our precious jewel, she was asked by her mother if she was ready to die. She quickly answered, "Yes, I want to die," and she was later asked who she would be with when she died and said, "she would be with her Maker." She also stated with outstretched arms that she could see her way bright. And with a number of her loved ones near her she said, "How many of you are going to meet me?" She was informed by one near her that they were all going to try to meet her. She said "All that are going to meet me come and tell me." When her father, mother, two sisters and a brother had gathered her command she said, "All right sit down it will soon be all over with me." Then later she said "I see such pretty little things and that things are so pretty up high." Asking them to look and see and telling them to watch she was trying to lead them too, let's all go together taking wings and all fly.

FARMERS MEETING CALLED OFF.

The meeting at Winchester has been called off by the following letter: Gentlemen:—This is to notify you that the State Farmers Institute scheduled for Winchester February 28, March 1 and 2, has been called off. Owing to the influx of people into Estill, Powell and Clark counties prospecting for oil, we have found the hotels at Winchester filled to their capacity and we are unable to secure the promise of rooms to accommodate the speakers, delegates and visitors who attend this meeting.

The people of Clark county and Winchester are anxious to open the doors of their homes to the visitors but this meeting coming at this time of the year when the weather could not be depended upon, it is deemed unwise to attempt it on account of the inconvenience and embarrassment which would likely ensue and being unable to secure the promise of any hotel rooms in advance it was agreed by all that this Institute be called off for the present.

Kindly make mention in your columns of this meeting being called off, and greatly oblige,

Yours very truly,
Mat S. Cohen,
Commissioner of Agric.

MRS. JOHN HISLE, SR., DEAD.

A death that has occasioned universal sorrow in this community was that of Mrs. John Hisle, Sr., which occurred at her home on the Lancaster Pike about two miles south of this city, last Thursday morning. Mrs. Hisle had been in declining health for several months, but the cause of her death was due to pneumonia. Owing to her enfeebled condition, when this dread disease fastened its fangs upon her, she was unable to withstand its blighting effects and the life of a beautiful christian character was brought to a speedy and ultimate end.

Decedent was seventy-six years of age and was one of the most highly respected and best beloved women of Madison county. Possessing a "charity that hopped all things," she greatly endeared herself to the people, and when the shadow hand of death drew the veil of night across her vision, she passed quietly and serenely from life into the light of eternal day. Surrounded by friends and loved ones, with a smile as serene as the setting sun, she seemed to welcome with joy the rustling garments of the night, and she sank to rest like a tired child in the lap of motherhood.

In the death of Mrs. Hisle the community has lost a splendid christian woman, the church a devout and faithful member, the aged husband a faithful helper who always stood loyally by his side in sunshine and shadow, the children the best friend they ever knew—mother whose love and devotion is beyond computation and too great for enumeration.

She is survived by her husband, Mr. John Hisle, Sr., Mrs. Fannie Griggs, of Doylesville; Mrs. J. Tandy Eades, of Lexington; Mrs. Kitty Hughes, and Mrs. D. Bush, of Winchester; Mrs. Ida Gentry, Mrs. Maggie Reeves and Mr. John Hisle, Jr., of Madison county, all of whom have the sympathy of a legion of friends in their bereavement.

The funeral was held Saturday morning at the residence on the Lancaster pike, conducted by Dr. M. T. Chandler, pastor of the Methodist Church, South, of this city, of which denomination she was a devout member, thence the burial in the Richmond cemetery.

MRS. WARREN DEAD.

Mrs. Charlotte Duncan Warren, widow of Judge R. C. Warren, died at her home in Stanford last week, following a protracted illness, due to old age. Mrs. Warren was a sister of Mrs. W. O. Bradley, of Lexington, and is prominently connected over Central Kentucky. The funeral was held at her late home Wednesday and the burial took place in Danville.

MORE ABOUT THE TREE CUTTING.

The following letter is self explanatory:

To the Editor of the Climax-Madisonian:

Dear Editor:

I noticed in the last issue of your paper that the shade trees in the Court House yard had been cut down.

I was very much surprised and grieved to know this; because I had a voice in putting those trees in the yard, and now am the only living one that was connected with the job, and I will tell you its history.

About the year 1870 I was a boy before the Fiscal Court of this county which was then composed of six magistrates. I was magistrate at the Poosie Precinct and was youngest member on the bench.

At that time Capt. Bob Terrell

was Circuit Clerk and George Shadford was County Clerk. Those men had the trees set out, and I never forgot how Capt. Terrell was put in the court house yard

necessity, improvement, and com-

plete brought to us for shade trees.

It was a free, will offering will be taken. It will be one of the delights of your life to hear this gifted orator. Every

one is cordially invited to be

congratulated on securing his ser-

vices.

There is no admission charged, but

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vices.

Yours very truly,

J. M. Hendren,
Speedwell, Kentucky.

All of the trees have not been cut

—some eight or nine nearest to the

Court House were felled. The others

were trimmed severely.

There was no order of the Fiscal

Court for the removal of the trees.

And none of the county court so far

ash the records show.

The grand jury, the guardian of the

people's rights, is now in session, and

is clothed with ample authority to

fully investigate this matter for the

people. It is passed to them.

Since the above was set up, Judge

Baxter called at this office and said

that the fiscal court had by order made

him the custodian of the court house

and grounds, and that it was no trou-

ble for anyone to acquaint himself

with the information as to who ordered

the trees cut out. He seemed to be

under the impression that this paper

was making an attack on him. In this

connection we wish to say that we

gave the news to the people without

any desire on our part to do otherwise

than to give the news; and we further

say that it has been our policy ever

since we have been in the newspaper

business not to assail any one per-

sonally in our columns. We will not

depart from our rule of giving the

people the news, it matters not whom

may be concerned therewith. It is

not necessary for us to assure Judge

Baxter of our hearty good will to

towards him because these columns have

done that long ago.

And now for a legal analysis of the

situation. The jailer of each county

not having a population of sev-

enty-five thousand or more

shall be superintendent of the

public square, court house,

clerk's office, jail, stray pen and

other public buildings at the

seat of justice*****"

The word custodian means "A keep-

er: a guardian a superintendent."

A custodian is certainly not autho-

ized to destroy property even though

it may be admitted that the order of

the Fiscal Court referred to was a

proper one. A wanton destruction is

not a preservation of property. Sure-

ly in a matter so vitally affecting the

comfort of the people as the valuable

shade trees in the court house yard,

there should have been some consul-

ation with the Fiscal Court before a

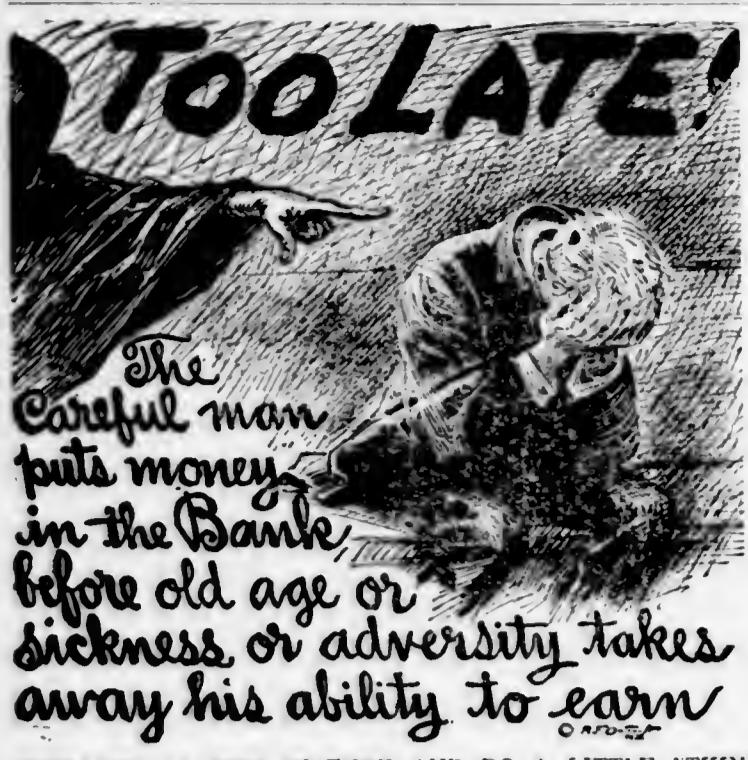
wholesale slaughter of them was or-

dered.

Again we say that we have no de-

sire to stir up strife against Judge

Baxter nor any one else and prefer to



JUST LOOK AT THIS PICTURE AND DO A LITTLE "THINKING." THEN YOU WILL BANK YOUR MONEY.

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WATTERSON ON LINCOLN.

Born as lowly as the Son of God, in a hovel; reared in penury, squalor, with no gleam of light or fair surroundings, without graces, actual or acquired; without name or fame or official training; it was reserved for this strange being late in life, to be snatched from obscurity, raised to supreme command at a supreme moment and entrusted with the destiny of a nation.

The great leaders of his party, the most experienced and accomplished public men of the day, were made to stand aside, were sent to the rear, while this fantastic figure was led by unseen hands to the front and given the reins of power. It is immaterial whether we were for him or against him; wholly immaterial. That, during four years, carrying with them such a weight of responsibility as the world never witnessed before, he filled the vast space allotted to him in the eyes and actions of mankind, is to say that he was inspired of God, for nowhere else could he have acquired the wisdom and the virtue.

Where did Shakespeare get his genius? Where did Mozart get his music? Whose hand smote the lyre of the Scottish ploughman, and stayed the life of the German priest? God, God and God alone; and as surely as they were raised by God, was Abraham Lincoln; and a thousand years hence, no drama, no tragedy, no epic poem will be filled with greater wonder, or be followed by mankind with deeper feeling than that which tells the story of his life and death—Peroration of address before the Lincoln Union at the Chicago Auditorium, February 12, 1905.

WACO.

Mr. and Mrs. Bush Rice, of College Hill, entertained a number of Waco young folks last Thursday night. Everyone had a merry time.

Miss Lena Taylor, of Elliston, entertained a number of her friends at a social at her home last Wednesday.

Mrs. H. C. Powell spent the weekend with relatives at Union City.

The Waco High School girls and Miss Sue Parks met at Mrs. A. W. Grinstead's millinery store Saturday to cut tads and furnish enough rags to make a rag carpet for Mrs. Reid Cornelison.

Neglected Colds Grow Worse.

A cough that racks and irritates the throat may lead to a serious chronic cough, if neglected. The healing pine balsams in Dr. Bell's Pine Tar Honey—Nature's own remedy—will soothe and relieve the irritation, breathing will be easier, and the antiseptic properties will kill the germ which retarded healing. Have it handy for croup, sore throat and chronic bronchial affections. Get a bottle today. Pleasant to take. At all druggists 25c.

(Signed) Sam'l. Rice, Mayor.
Attest: W. E. Blanton, Clerk.
January 4, 1917. 7 2t

ORDINANCE.

Be it ordained by the City Council of the City of Richmond, Ky.:—

That from and after the passage of this Ordinance, it shall be the duty of the person or persons, firm or corporation occupying the property, in front of which there is a pavement of wood, concrete, brick, or other paving material, to keep the same free of snow, ice, or other dangerous covering or obstruction.

Any person or persons, firm or corporation failing to keep such pavement in front of their property free of snow, ice, or other dangerous covering or obstruction, for a period of twenty-four hours, shall be fined in any sum not to exceed Five (\$5.00) Dollars and upon failure so to do after notification by the Chief of Police or the Street Commissioner to remove any snow, ice or other dangerous covering or obstruction on said pavement, shall be fined in any sum not to exceed Ten (\$10.00) Dollars. Each twenty-four hours such pavement is so obstructed shall constitute a separate offense.

(Signed) Sam'l. Rice, Mayor.
Attest: W. E. Blanton, Clerk.
February 1, 1917. 7 2t

CIRCULAR LETTER

TO
MEMBERS OF THE NATIONAL AMERICAN WOMAN SUFFRAGE ASSOCIATION
BY
MRS. JAMES BENNETT

I do not think that many persons know that in 1871, Miss Susan E. Anthony and some other ladies claimed that under our Federal Constitution as altered by the adoption of its 14th Amendment, women had a legal right to vote at public elections, and petitioned Congress to make a federal law protecting them in the exercise of that right.

So I now write to you, and to other members of our National American Woman Suffrage Association, to call your attention to the above mentioned fact, and to some decisions of the Supreme Court of the United States that bear upon it, in the hope that I may thereby induce you to join with me and some other ladies, in signing a Memorial in which we request our National American Woman Suffrage Association to adopt at its next annual convention the same Resolution in regard to the 14th Amendment of our National Constitution that it adopted at its annual convention of 1914 and of 1916.

A Resolution which said—"We petition Congress to protect women against State denial of the right of citizens of the United States to vote for Members of Congress, Presidential Electors and United States Senators in the State wherein they reside, by making federal laws in pursuance of that clause of the 14th Amendment of our National Constitution which says:

No State shall make or enforce any law which shall abridge the privileges or immunities of citizens of the United States."

Miss Susan B. Anthony tells us in her Wmsoa Suffrage History, Vol. I, pages 497 and 498, that on December 12, 1871, she, Elizabeth Cady Stanton, Isabella Beecher Hooker, Elizabeth L. Blanden, Olympia Brown and Josephine S. Griffen, "united in a Memorial, which was presented in the Senate and referred to the Judiciary Committee, asking for a recognition of the rights of women under the 14th Amendment" That this Memorial was addressed to "The Honorable Senate and House of Representatives of the United States in Congress assembled," and read as follows:—"The undersigned citizens of the United States, believing that under the present Federal Constitution all women who are citizens of the United States have the right to vote, pray your honorable body to enact a law during the present session, that shall assist and protect them in the exercise of that right."

The "14th Amendment" referred to in the above mentioned Memorial is that clause of this Amendment which says—"No State shall make or enforce any law which shall abridge the privileges or immunities of citizens of the United States."

And in 1875, the Supreme Court of the United States decided in the case of Mrs. Virginia L. Minor that this clause of the 14th Amendment did not annul the word "male" in the Constitution of our States which confined the right to vote for Members of Congress and Presidential Electors to men, and thereby enable women to have a legal right to vote for these federal officers, as counsel for Mrs. Minor claimed that it did.

And the Court decided this, by holding or deciding in its Slaughter-House cases decision of 1873, that the above quoted clause of the 14th Amendment only prohibited States from making or enforcing laws which deprived citizens of such rights as "owed their existence to the Federal Government, its national character, its Constitution or its laws," and then deciding that the right to vote for Members of Congress and Presidential Electors did not owe its existence to our Federal Constitution, by deciding that the Constitution of the United States did not confer the right of suffrage upon "any one," by using the below quoted words in the conclusion of its Minor vs. Happersett decision of 1875:—"Being unanimously of the opinion that the Constitution of the United States does not confer the right of suffrage upon any one, and that the Constitutions and laws of the several States which commit that important trust to men alone, are not necessarily void, we affirm the judgment of the Court below."

But the Supreme Court held in the first part of its Minor vs. Happersett decision of 1875, that the above quoted clause of the 14th Amendment "prohibited" our States from making or enforcing any law which deprived female citizens of the United States of any right that did owe its existence to our Federal Constitution.

And in 1884, this Court decided that the right to vote for Members of Congress and Presidential Electors owed its existence to our Federal Constitution, by deciding in the case of Ex Parte Yarbrough of 1884, that the right to vote for these federal officers was secured to citizens by the Original Constitution of the United States.

So the Supreme Court has now held in its combined Minor vs. Happersett and Ex Parte Yarbrough decisions that the 14th Amendment "prohibited" our States from making or enforcing any law which deprives female citizens of the United States of a right to vote for Members of Congress and Presidential Electors.

And since the right of private citizens to vote United States Senators owes its existence to the 17th Amendment of our National Constitution, the 14th Amendment prohibits our States from making or enforcing any law which deprives women of a legal right to vote for United States Senators, as well as of a legal right to vote for Members of Congress and Presidential Electors.

And by doing this, the 14th Amendment has annulled the word "male" in the Constitutions of the majority of our States which confined the right to vote for Members of Congress, Presidential Electors and United States Senators to men, and thereby left their women in possession of a legal right to vote for these federal officers. Just as the removal of the word "male" from the Constitutions of eleven of our States as a qualification for voting, has left their women in possession of a legal right to vote for Members of Congress, Presidential Electors and United States Senators.

Because the 14th Amendment is a part of our Federal Constitution, which is the supreme law of this land, "any thing in the Constitution or law of any of the named Federal officers in the majority of our States at the present time, is because those States are enforcing laws which forbid their officers to register the names of women as legal voters at federal as well as at state elections. And because Congress has refused or neglected to make federal laws under the 14th Amendment to protect their women in exercising their legal right to vote at federal elections, as our National American Women Suffrage Association has petitioned Congress to do.

I say, as this Association has petitioned Congress to do, because soon after the Supreme Court decided in the case of Ex Parte Yarbrough of 1884, that the right of citizens to vote for Members of Congress and Presidential Electors owed its existence to our Federal Constitution, Miss Anthony appointed me chairman of the "Federal Suffrage Committee" of our National American Woman Suffrage Association, and made it the duty of this Committee to petition Congress to make federal laws under the 14th Amendment to protect women against State denial of the right of citizens of the United States to vote at federal elections in the State wherein they reside.

And from that day down to the present time this Association has continued to petition Congress to do women this justice.

We have recently been advised to stop petitioning Congress to make federal laws under the 14th Amendment to protect women against State denial of the right of citizens of the United States to vote at federal elections in the State wherein they reside, and to go to asking the Supreme Court to protect women against State denial of this right.

But Congress made federal laws to protect colored men in exercising the rights and immunities guaranteed. It is not said that branch of the Government shall extend to enforcing the prohibitions and to protecting the rights and immunities guaranteed. It is not said that branch of the Government shall be authorized to declare void, any action of a State in violation of the prohibitions. It is the power of Congress which has been enlarged. Congress is authorized to enforce the prohibitions by appropriate legislation. Some legislation is contemplated to make the Amendments fully effective."

Very sincerely yours,
MRS. JAMES BENNETT.

Richmond, Kentucky, February 22, 1917.

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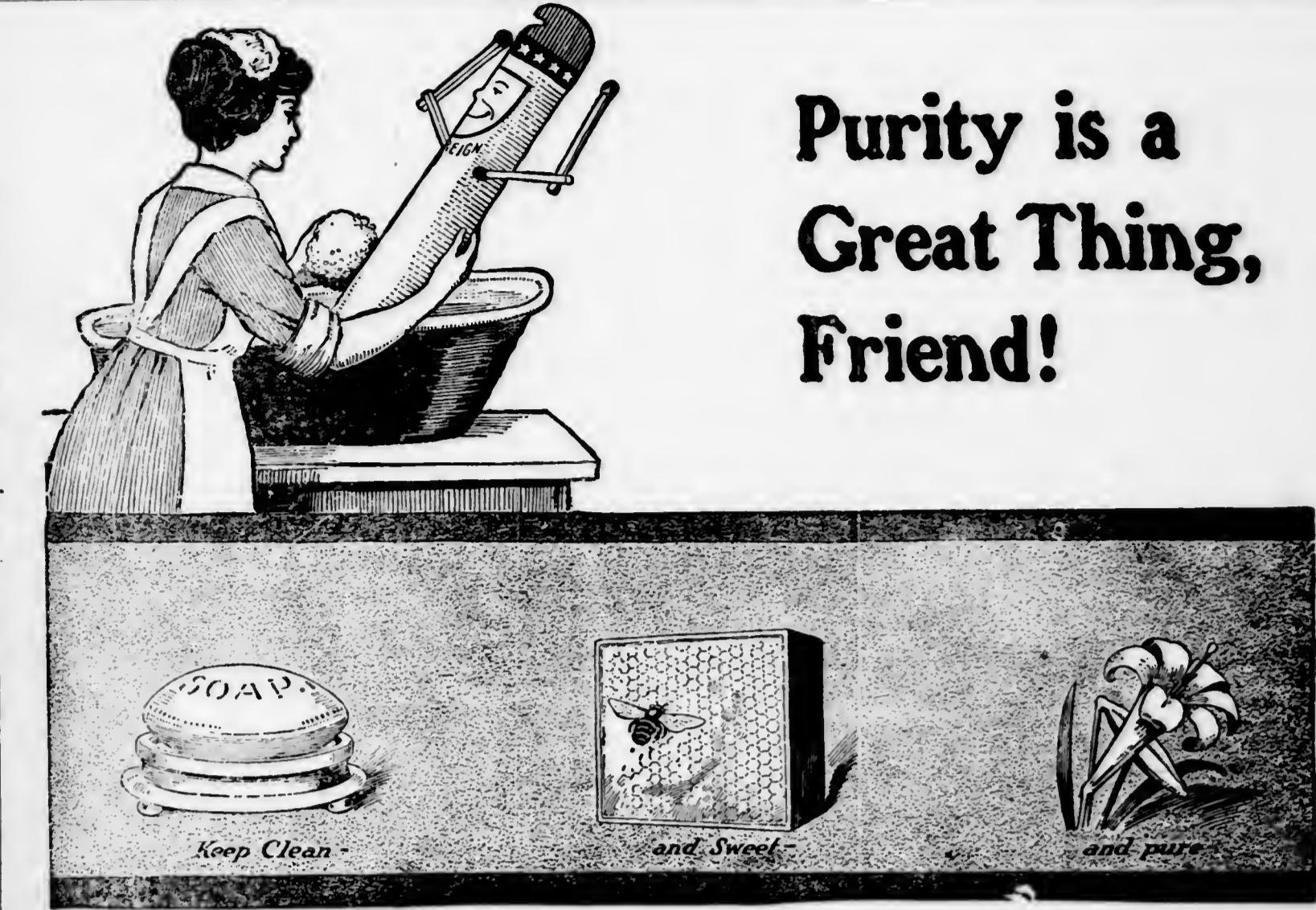
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COMMISSIONER'S SALE

Malissa Reagan, &c. Plaintiffs
Mattie Jefferson, &c. Defendants
As directed by a judgment and order I set in the above styled action at the February term, 1917, of the Madison Circuit Court, the undersigned will, on

Thursday, March 1st, 1917.

at or about 10:30 o'clock a. m., sell to the highest and best bidder on the premises the following property:

A tract of land on the waters of Taylor's Fork of Silver Creek in Madison county, adjoining John X. Todd, Silas Reagan, Stan Willis, Adams, Tudor, &c., containing 20.85 acres, and including right of passway and right to use spring in hollow.

For a more definite description of the property, in Order Book 46, page 597.

Terms—Equal credits of six and twelve months, purchaser to execute bond with approved security, bearing six per cent interest from day of sale and secured by lien on the land sold. Bidders should prepare in advance to make bond as soon as sale is concluded.

J. J. GREENLEAF, Master Commissioner.

COMMISSIONER'S SALE

Bowman Bros. Plaintiffs
A. M. Estes, &c. Defendants
As directed by a judgment and order I set in the above styled action at the February term, 1917, of the Madison Circuit Court, the undersigned will, on

Thursday, March 1st, 1917.

at or about 2 o'clock p. m., make to the highest and best bidder on the premises the following property:

A tract of land near Baldwin, Madison county, Ky., containing about one acre, now occupied by A. M. Estes, dwelling and blacksmith shop, being bound on the South by the road, and by the lands of John A. Young on the West.

Terms—Credit of six months, purchaser to execute bond with approved security, bearing six per cent interest from date of sale and secured by lien on the land sold. Bidders should prepare in advance to make bond as soon as sale is concluded.

J. J. GREENLEAF, Master Commissioner.

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SPECIAL SESSION OPENS.

MESSAGE OF THE GOVERNOR.

The special session of the Kentucky Legislature called to consider the tax laws met at high noon Wednesday. Governor Stanley sent a message which was read. The following is the message in full.

"Gentlemen of the Senate and House of Representatives:—The Legislature has generously provided for many things good and laudable in themselves, for the improvement and enlargement of penal and elemosinary institutions; for the pensioning of aged and dependent Confederate veterans; for more liberal compensation for Circuit Judges; for the preservation of forests; for the cure and protection of condemned negroes and other public enemies. It is to be regretted, however, that at the time these appropriations were authorized no adequate provision was made for the necessary increase in revenue necessary to meet them. As a result more than three-fourths of the revenues of the State are absorbed by fixed appropriations which cannot be curtailed by one dollar."

"No human ingenuity, no possible economy, under existing conditions, over which this Administration has no control, bring the necessary expenses of the State Government, however, economically administered, within its current revenues."

"This necessary and inevitable deficit is temporarily provided for by the issuance of bonds having a fixed date of maturity and bearing a high rate of interest. At this date such outstanding warrants amount to \$2,733,715.02. The fact that such warrants cannot be funded by legislative enactment under the Constitution of this State, is conclusive evidence of the purpose of the framers of that instrument that the General Assembly should never be enabled to appropriate without such deficit, all expenses incident to the proper conduct of the State Government at the time they are incurred."

"The present taxing system of the State is not only grossly inadequate for the purposes for which it was designed. In the language of the admirable report of the Tax Commission now before you, there is an inadequate method of finding all property in the assessment roll, no adequate method of determining or fixing the proper taxable value, when the same is listed, and no adequate means for equalizing or equitably distributing the burden of taxation."

"Need is imperative. The imperative need of immediate and radical tax reform has long been felt, and the legislation which you are now assembled to enact repeatedly demanded by the people of this Commonwealth."

"To that end the Constitution has been amended that your powers might be enlarged and that you be offered every opportunity to give to Kentucky a just, progressive and modern taxing system, which will not only eliminate the burdens of taxation encroaching every character of property, tangible and intangible. The Constitution as amended permits the adoption of such methods as will enable you the more readily to reach, for purposes of taxation, property now practically exempt, and I have every reason to believe that when you have placed upon the tax rolls hundreds of millions of such hidden and intangible property the needed revenues for the proper maintenance of the State Government may be secured while at the same time materially lightening the present burden upon agricultural lands, which hitherto have borne a manifestly inequitable share of taxation."

"The task of putting into effect the provisions of this amendment may be difficult. It is, however, not new, question, and a short review of the history of this legislation can leave in the minds of no unbiased citizen any doubt of the plain and imperative purpose of an overwhelming majority of the electors of Kentucky that this work be done thoroughly and immediately."

"By virtue of the record amendment to which I have referred—

"The General Assembly shall have power to divide property into classes and to determine what class or classes of property shall be subject to local taxation."

A Two-fold Purpose.

"The purpose of this provision is first, By imposing a rate collectable without being confiscatory, to force from hiding hundreds of millions invested in foreign stocks and bonds, notes, mortgages, and accounts now practically omitted from assessment; and

"Second—in that way to relieve visible holdings—agricultural lands especially—a disproportionate and grossly inequitable share of the tax burden of the State."

"No change in the organic law has been more exhaustively discussed or more thoroughly considered. On February 9, 1912, the proposed amendment passed the Senate by a vote of 34 to 1. This amendment, with an added section, passed the House March 1, 1912, a vote of 78 to 3. Submitted to the voters at the November election, 1912, it was adopted by a majority of 33,500, more than two to one of those voting favoring its adoption."

"The Secretary of State had failed to comply with the provisions of the law governing the submission of such amendments, it was again introduced at the session of 1914, passing the Senate, February 27, by a vote of 29 to 1, and the House March 17, by a vote of 72 to 12."

"This amendment being a second time submitted to the voters at the succeeding general election, was adopted by a majority of 32,027."

"Both political parties in their last State conventions, have expressed the fixed purpose of the people as unequivocally as the electors at the polls. Both parties by platform declarations favored immediate tax revision and the adoption of this amendment."

Congratulates Assembly.

"I congratulate the General Assembly that a part, at least, of the vital and difficult work before you has been done by able and diligent public ser-

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Mother Was Half-Sick.

"As for myself, I felt almost the same as Mrs. Lowe. My stomach troubled me. My appetite was poor and I suffered after eating with bloating and belching of gas. But with the help of Tanlac I got rid of these troubles and now I feel simply splendid.

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vants, who have given no little time and careful attention to the subject in hand.

"On March 15, 1912, the Governor approved an act to investigate revenue and taxation in this state and recommend a plan for the revision thereof. This commission made a voluminous report which contains much of interest to the student of this now vital question, whether you can in all its findings or not.

"Pursuant to joint resolution of the last General Assembly I appointed a Tax Commission consisting of three members of the Senate and four of the House, to serve without compensation, and charged with investigations in this State and recommending a suitable and adequate revenue system.

"After continued and extensive hearings, and the most diligent and exhaustive work of this subject, this commission has submitted its final report. That report is before you, and will, I trust, form the basis at least, for the construction of a system of revenue and taxation which will foster new enterprises, will invite rather than repel the investment of capital in this, the richest of all fields of investment, and by so doing, will adequately provide the sorely needed revenues for the proper and successful conduct of the business of the State.

"It is my earnest hope that the work of the General Assembly may prove a lasting boon to the people of this state and an impetus to enterprise and an incentive to patriotism. In putting into effect your mandate, it was my purpose that no small, no personal, no mere partisan consideration might mar the excellence of task so large and so pregnant with good or ill to the whole people. It was my earnest desire in the selection of this honorable body that it should be non-partisan. I also desire that it should be non-sectional. I also desire that it should be non-urban or rural.

Both Parties Represented.

"Upon this are reported cases of both parties men from the mountains, the Bluegrass and the Purchase. During its deliberations differences of opinion have been discussed without bitterness or the impugning of a colleague's motives, and in the end, I am happy to advise you that they all heartily concur in the conclusions submitted to your consideration, differing only in their conclusions concerning political issues they were selected because of my faith in their capacity, integrity and vivid appreciation

of the importance of the duty assigned to their labor and to every citizen of the Commonwealth.

"They were a unit upon one question, single in their fixed purpose to provide an adequate system by which intangible property much of it in the hands of the rich might be forced to bear its just proportion of taxation, from which it had been hitherto exempt, and that agricultural lands, now excessively burdened, might be in a measure relieved by a new and more equitable system.

"I trust that the people of the meager resources of the State, you will most cheerfully endorse a measure of inconvenience, that no day or hour may be wasted in bringing your work to a conclusion at the earliest possible moment consistent with the faithful performance of your duties. Had I consulted your inconvenience or my own, I should not have called you from your homes and business at this time.

It is, however, incumbent upon the General Assembly and the Executive alike that we render willing and instant obedience to the explicit, persistent oft-repeated demand of the sovereign citizens of the state that we proceed with all possible celerity to carry into effect the mandate of the Constitution and provide this Commonwealth a modern, just and efficient system of revenue and taxation."

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